UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

| GERALD P. SMITH, JR. and ANGELA SMITH, | |
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| Plaintiffs, | Case No. 1:06-CV-234 |
| v. | Hon. Richard Alan Enslen |
| BLUE RIBBON TRANSPORT, MICHAEL DAVID RODERICK, and FRANCIS J. CAITO, INC. d/b/a F.J. CAITO TRANSPORTATION, jointly and severally, | ORDER STRIKING SECOND |
| Defendants/ | AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE |
| In accordance with the Opinion of this date; | |

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiffs Gerald P. Smith, Jr. and Angela Smith's Motion to Strike Affirmative Defense (Dkt. No. 35) is **GRANTED** and Defendants Blue Ribbon Transport and Michael David Roderick's second affirmative defense contained in their Answer and Affirmative Defenses (Dkt. No. 5) is **STRICKEN**.

Dated in Kalamazoo, MI: /s/Richard Alan Enslen

March 19, 2007 Richard Alan Enslen

Senior United States District Judge